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FRIDAY, - - MARCH 29, 1889.

AN English syndicate has purchased 2,000,000 acres of land in New Mexico, and is now stocking it heavily with a view to running the largest grain farm in the world.

ONE Dr. Tere, in England, is advocating the sting of bees as a remedy for rheumatism. He declares that he has treated with success 175 cases, and has given in all 30,000 stings.

THE Tennessee legislature has under consideration and is reasonably certain to enact a registration bill and a ballot reform bill, incorporating the essential features of the Australian system.

THE new ballot reform bill before the New York legislature provides that employers must give their workmen two hours in which to vote on election day and also forbids their intimidation by pay envelopes or threats of closing.

THE Board of Pardons having refused to recommend commutation of the death sentence in the case of Mrs Sarah Whiteling, it is likely that she will be hanged. She deliberately poisoned her husband and two children and certainly deserves severe punishment.

ONE of the last acts of the Democratic land commissioner to set aside a claim of land grabbers and restore 3,000,000 acres in Arizonia to settlement. One of the first acts of his Republican successor will probably be to reverse this decision. Look out for the land thieves the next four years.

KANSAS CITY, Kan., has had a social and municipal revolution in the past week. A vigorous enforement of the prohibitory law has sent a dozen liquor-dealers to prison for long terms, besides imposing on them a fine of $100 for every glass of intoxicants they have been convicted of vending. Three dozen others await speedy trial.

THE new anti-bribery law in Indiana contains the provision that when an attempt is made in any way to influence the vote of a citizen, he may bring a civil suit, and, upon proving the charge, recover damages to the amount of not more than $500. A witness of an attempted bribery may bring suit and recover damages to the extent of one-half that sum.

IN a circular recently issued the Reform Club of New York expresses its readiness to send anywhere in the State "speakers fully competent, able and willing to discuss the tariff question in its various branches." Such important missionary work ought not to be confined to New York. Very likely upon application the club would extend its good offices to Pennsylvania.

JOHN H. HOLLANDER, an American resident of Gautemala, recently swore that United States Minister Hall and officers of the Guatemalan Government received over $2,000 apiece by a fraudulent issue of bonds of that Republic. He was prosecuted by his accusers, put in jail and has appealed to the State Department at Washington for protection.

THE President on Monday issued a proclamation opening to settlement all that portion of Oklahoma Territory covered by the bill passed during the last hours of the Fiftieth Congress. The land thus opened to settlement embraces nearly 2,000,000 acres. The proclamation has been nearly ready for a week or ten days but the pressure of other matters prevented its completion.

GOVERNOR BEAVER, of this State was assaulted in the Riggs House in Washington on Wednesday last, by Major John T. Armes, a retired army officer who attempted to pull the Governor's nose. The Governor struck at Armes with his crutch but missed him, when they were parted by the by-standers. The affair grew out of a misunderstanding between the two gentlemen on inauguration day.

THE new Senate stands 39 Republicans to 37 Democrats, the eight new Senators from the Dakotas, Montana and Washington to be added by December. The Republicans in the House have a majority of three, but the new States will add five representatives in time for the regular session in December. The Democrats claim that they can capture the Legislature of Montana, but even in that event the next Senate would stand 45 to 39.

SENATOR RUTAN at Harrisburg on Tuesday severely criticised the State administration's extravagance, in a speech on a bill asking for two more clerks for the Department of Internal Affairs. Mr. Rutan said the clerks were becoming very numerous in the departments, and that, under Governor Beaver in 1888, the State's expenses were $187,000 greater than under Governor Pattison in 1886. As a citizen and as a politician Mr. Rutan protested against this, saying that it was getting close to that season of the year when the Democrats would be asking some awkward questions on this same subject.

GEOLOGIST ASHBURNER has submitted to the Geological Survey a report on the coal production of the country which is full of matter for thought. The output of all kinds of coal in 1888 was 145 163,744 net tons, worth $201,189,086. This is an increase of about 15,000,000 over the product of the previous year. Every State except three show an increase in production. Of course, Pennsylvania has an immense lead over any other; in fact, our own State produces a little more than one-half of all the coal mined in the United States. Ohio comes next, followed very closely by Illinois, which is in turn followed by West Virginia and Iowa. The smallest producer is Idaho, which mined only 600 tons.

ASSOCIATE JUSTICE STANLEY MATTHEWS, of the United States Supreme Court, died at his home in Washington, on last Friday morning, after a long illness, aged 64 years. Judge Matthews was born in Cincinnati, Ohio, where he was admitted to the bar and practiced until the breaking out of the rebellion when he accepted a Lieutenant Colonel's commission and entered the service and was afterward promoted to a Colonelcy. He was appointed to the Supreme Bench by Hayes, but his nomination was not acted on. He took his seat in 1881 on President Gardield's renomination, which was confirmed by the Senate May 12. Under the laws governing the pension list of the Supreme Court a member of that tribunal must have reached seventy years and served ten years on the Bench before he can avail himself of the $10,000 a year retired compensation for life. Justice Matthews lacked five years of the requisite age and two years of the term of office. He was always recognized as an able and successful lawyer, but at the time of his appointment to the Supreme Bench, it was charged that his appointment was due to the influence of Jay Gould. His remains were laid to rest at Glendale, Ohio, on Monday.

LET us see how Civil Service Reform worked under Cleveland. In the Treasury Department, of the 1,670 employes on the pay-rolls March 4, last, 1,230, receiving $1,885,000 annual pay, were appointed prior to March 4, 1885, and only 440, receiving $878,340 annual pay, were appointed during Mr. Cleveland's administration. In the Interior department there were 1,674 "holdovers," having $2,000,000 annual pay, and only 456, appointees of Mr. Cleveland's administration, drawing but $550,000 annual pay. In the postoffice department there were 448 "holdovers," with an aggregate salary of $550,000, and 143 Cleveland appointees, with an aggregate salary of $175,000. These are the three most important departments in Washington. They probably employ four-fifths of all the persons in the Government service at Washington. And yet it will be seen from the above figures—which were compiled by the New York *Herald* from the official records—that removals during Mr. Cleveland's term were scarcely more numerous than they would naturally have been if his predecessor had been of the same party.

THE Australian ballot system says the Philadelphia *Times* has already been embodied in the laws of several of the States. Similar bills are now under consideration in the Legislatures of several others, Pennsylvania among the number. The proposed law was introduced into the State Senate at Harrisburg by Senator Macfarlane, of this city, and into the House by Representative Baker, of Delaware county. The proposed act embodies two vital principles—the absolute secrecy of the ballot, the voter being completely insolated from all others while preparing his ballot, and the printing of the tickets by the State, thus not only enabling a poor man to be candidate, but destroying the pretext under which the corrupt use of money at elections is at present excused and tolerated.

The passage of this act, while involving some additional expense at the onset, would doubtless greatly promote purity at elections. The bill should become a law before the Legislature adjourns. Any system that will elimtnate the party heeler and the corrupt use of money at our elections is worth adoption, even though the expense to the State be considerable at first.

WHEN ambitious statesmen says the New York *World* crowded upon each other's heels in an attempt to force themselves into President Harrison's Cabinet it was thought that the lowest depth of the office-seeking mania had been reached.

But there is a lower depth. It was struck on Monday by two Republican lawyers—one of them an "ex-jurist"—who announced themselves as "candidates" for the vacant seat upon the Bench of the United States Supreme Court, while the body of the dead Justice Matthews as yet unburied!

The indelicacy of a pushing self-candidacy for this exalted judicial station would be great at any time. To break through the funeral procession that marks the vacancy, with a "claim" for the place which is yet hardly cold, is worse than indecent.

A man who will put himself forward for a Supreme Court Judgeship by that act advertises his unfitness for the high office. And yet it will not be strange to see a scramble for it by the corporation lawyers and the political judges out of a job.

THERE appears to be some trouble in the Republican camp about the appointment of a postmaster in Philadelphia. Postmaster General Wanamaker, has offered the position to John Field a well-known merchant and business man of that city, while Senator Quay has seemed to favor the appointment of William Leeds, a well-known political boss of that city. The business men of the city are elated over the selection of Mr. Field, while the political heelers and strikers are up in arms and are uttering protests loud and deep over the Postmaster General's selection. The true inwardness of the selection may not, however, appear on the surface as it may be one of the methods of Senator Quay, who is well versed in all kinds of political trickery, to escape taking sides between rival political factions in that city. It has raised quite a row among the Republicans of the Quaker City, with the Democrats as spectators enjoying the fun.

THE employes of the blast furnace of the Pottsville iron and steel company were notified on Tuesday of a 5 per cent. reduction in wages, to take effect April 1. And this is done in less than a month after the inauguration of the party that was to give the big end of the high tariff to keep up the wages of the workingmen. It takes the people a long time to learn but in the course of human events they will finally get it hammered into them that a war tariff in peace times is the grandest swindle of the age.

The $25,000,000 Salt Trust.

Speculative greed does not appear to have been discouraged by the failure of the latest combination of capital and credit to control the prices of commodities. The collapse of the Copper Syndicate has hardly ceased to excite comment before it is proposed to make war upon the resources of nature and the laws of trade in a gigantic conspiracy to corner the world's supplies of salt. It has been stated that the ring in process of formation for this purpose will be able to command a capital of $25,000,000. The object of the combination, as explained by its promoters, is to insure "liberal dividends to the capital invested," and at the same time to benevolently afford the best quality of salt at "reasonable prices" to consumers.

So long as partial and unjust laws do not interfere with free competition consumers can well afford to laugh at all such conspiracies to enhance the cost of the necessaries of living. A combination like this may temporarily limit supply and force up prices, but failure has been written upon the history of every similar scheme to defeat the laws of trade. It is only under a system of "protection" which sacrifices the general welfare to the interests of a few that a ring for limiting and controlling the supply of a prime necessary of existance can hope to achieve even a partial success.

When production is stimulated by the tariff lure of enormous profits the supply soon outstrips the demand, and prices decline in the reactionary movement until they reach a lower level than that which existed before the formation of the conspiracy. The Copper Combination is now undergoing this process, and no one can predict how low the price of copper may fall in the general markets before the normal relations between supply and demand shall have been restored.

In the limited market controlled by a tariff system like ours, however, the capitalists who have gathered large winnings in a conspiracy against trade can readily combine to limit production until the demand shall have overtaken the supply. They can afford to close their mines and mills for a time and expend a portion of their gains in awaiting the turn in the market. On the other hand, the workingmen in their employment, whose capital is their daily labor, cannot wait. To them this waiting process means loss of employment, privation and attendant demoralization. Indeed, in this consists the the peculiar iniquity of these industrial conspiracies. The masses of consumers can accommodate themselves in some degree to the vicissitudes in prices produced by this system, but to the workingmen who are directly affected it is pitiless in its cruelty.

In deprecating the ominous appearance of the Salt Trust upon the horizon of trade the New York *Tribune* presents a table to show how much the price of Michigan salt has declined in the last twenty years under the influence of Protection. The *Tribune* might as well array tables showing the decline of beef, pork and nearly all other commodities from inflation prices and attribute the result to the tariff. In this downward range of prices the chief factors are in the improved processes of production and in the marvelous development of the means of distribution, not only in this country but throughout the world; but these weighty factors the tariff organ leaves wholly out of the account. Cheap as salt has become in the world's markets, the tariff system deprives American consumers of the full benefit of the reduction. In spite of a duty of 70 per cent., foreign salt is imported in considerable quantities, and upon its cost is adjusted the price of the domestic article. Now it is proposed to take advantage of the tariff in order to form a gigantic Salt Monopoly. As honest and brave old Tom Benton used to exclaim, the tax upon salt is "a crime against human nature."—*Phila. Record.*

Somewhat Confusing.

The mind is somewhat confused by the details of the combination of the three principal steel-producing companies of Illinois. In one part of the report it is stated that by this consolidation local competition will be destroyed and a better price realized for rails. This is clear enough. Local competition is all there is in the way. Foreign competition is sufficiently restrained by the high tariff on steel rails, which we learned last fall was intended to enable the mill-owners to pay higher wages to their laborers. This being the chief object which protected manufacturers have ever before them, we are bound to conclude that they are destroying local competition by this trust with the same end in view.

It is this conviction which renders it impossible for us to understand what is said in another part of the report. It is said that a reduction of expenses also is to follow. Clerk hire is to be cut down, rent is to be lowered, and commissions to agents will be less. Nothing is said of the reduction of the wages of laborers, but as that is in line with the general program it will, doubtless, follow. By these means, one dollar per ton is to be saved. As the three mills turn out nearly a million of tons per year, they are about to save a million of dollars, besides what they make in putting up the price.

We can not understand why these companies, now that they are able to pay more wages, are making arrangements to pay less. If this is persisted in, what becomes of the argument that protection makes wages higher?—*Louisville Courier Journal.*

"OUTSIDE of the United States," says Mr. Joseph D. Weeks, secretary of the Iron and Steel Association, "prices of crude iron have advanced materially and the tendency is decidedly upward, while in the United States there is quietness, and if there is any tendency it is not, at least, toward any marked increase in prices." In Great Britain "the cost of production is increased by the enhanced value of the raw ironstone, the cost of the labor in smelting, and the higher price of coal and coke. All around there has been an increase in wages owing to the operation of the sliding scales. * * * In the United States, on the other hand, every condition is the opposite of this. The stocks of pig iron, instead of decreasing, have been increasing. * * * Wages have decreased here, instead of increasing, as they have in England. The reductions of wages since the first of the year in the valleys of Pennsylvania, east and west, are well known." The workingman would like the Republican newspapers to tell the cause of this deplorable condition of affairs in the iron trade in this country. Isn't the tariff high enough, or is it too high? Which is which?

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THE bill granting to women a right to vote in municipal elections and for excise officers failed to pass the New York Assembly on Monday.

The Punishment of Crime.

There is a law not enacted by legislative bodies that punishment shall follow crime. Criminals do not stand on ceremony or consult the finer feelings of their victims when engaging in their schemes. No crime is too outrageous for them to attempt if the fear of punishment is removed, and absolutely no tenderness or delicacy of theirs is tolerated between them and the ends they desire. The tender hearted villian is no villian, the gentlemanly assassin has no existance, the patient, forbearing, gentle wife beater is extinct, and the good and loving defamer of virtue and traducer of character has long since taken passage on some idle dreamship. The fact that crime fears nothing but punishment is as old as evil. The fact that punishment should follow crime is as patent as daylight. But during the last century the reaction from the barbaric cruelty hitherto practised by the law's executors has lessened the penalties of, and increased the tendencies to, crime. The restraint of the church since the days of the reformation has been less upon certain classes, who would be otherwise easily tempted.

The foolish softheartedness which has developed among a class of people with good intentions, but with little knowledge of bad human nature, has succeeded in enforcing the demand for milder penalties, until to-day many penal institutions are palaces of idle rest, which criminals do not dread, and wherein vagabonds solicit and receieve a glorious vacation from the burdens of a working life—well housed, well fed and well attended. Sure of food, shelter, raiment, medical attendance and quiet, they fear no seclusion imposed by Judge and jury, and if detected in crime take the inevitable consequence of conviction as a temporary change of conditions which might be a thousand times worse and from which they will reappear upon the scene of former unlawful exploits, reenforced with health, the knowledge gained by experience, and the plans for new conquests which have hatched within prison walls, aided by the warmth of ease and restful surroundings. The time is rapidly coming when law-abiding citizens will demand the enforcement of severer penalties. Criminals dread nothing so much as a bodily pain. The penalty that demands the whipping of a wife beater will reduce that increasing brutality infinitely more than modern imprisonment, while for the punishment of other crimes against the peace and bodily comfort of individuals something that implies bodily discomfort must be provided with which to threaten the brutes that respect no law and thrive on moral suasion.—*Albany Express.*

The Tithe Riot in Wales.

Among the movements for self-government now being made in Europe none is deserving of more consideration than the agitation among the Welsh people. To-day Wales is quite as much under serfdom as it was centuries ago. The minority which rules the land is alien to the vast majority in religion, language and manners. The Church establishment exists for this minority alone; it monopolizes all the offices in the country, and not only exacts unfair rents from the tenantry but inflicts on them the worst oppression. Since the extension of the suffrage three years ago a new development has shown itself among the people, and a national council corresponding to the Irish National League has made itself heard in demands for the recognition of Welsh rights and the redress of Welsh wrongs.

The leading demand is for the establishment of the Church of Wales, the objectionable feature in this institution being the tithes payable to the Anglican clergy. The Welsh farmers do not refuse to pay tithe to the Church so long as the law gives it the Church, though they have asked that the clergy should bear, in common with the landlord and tenant, their fair share in the burden of agricultural depression; but, as nonconformists, they naturally protest the justice of the payment of this impost to a Church whose services they never attend, and hold that the tithes should be devoted to national purposes only. Christ's Church in Oxford is largely supported by the tithes wrung from Welsh farmers; often too, by the aid of a bailiff and a distrcit warrant.

The land question in Wales also bears a striking resemblance to that of Ireland. Agriculture is the sole industry of great districts, and yet there is as much social, political and religous severance between the landlord and tenant class as there is in Ireland. The landlord speaks English and the tenant speaks Welsh. The former exacts, in many cases a rent which the land has not earned, and so the farming credit and capital of large masses of tenantry have been exhausted. Wholesale political eviction, the efforts to substitute church for chapel tenants, insecurity of tenure, and refusal to compensate for agricultural improvements, all intensify the bitterness of the situation and suggest the prospect of an agitation of a very important character.

Grounds of Removal.

The Postmaster General is quoted as saying, immediately after a recent cabinet meeting, that "it will be the policy of this administration to let postmasters serve out their terms unless sufficient reasons are given for their removal." As to what constitutes such reasons, no specific information was given, although Mr. Wanamaker repeated that if "inefficiency or incompetency cannot be shown a postmaster will be allowed to serve out his term."

On the other hand Congressman Payson, of Illinois, claims to have secured the removal of Postmaster Reno, at Pontiac, in his State, and the appointment of "a Union soldier" in his place, upon the explicit charge that the incumbent had been an offensive partisan. Mr. Reno, it appears, is the editor of a Democratic organ, a member of the County Committee, the "leading Democratic organizer of his county" and has been "conspicuous in public meetings and at conventions, and on election day peddled Democratic tickets at the polls."

This is the sort of "pernicous activity" that Thomas Jefferson condemned in public servants. He held it both unseemly and dangerous to the freedom of elections. Other Democratic statesmen of an early and a later day have complained of and denounced such active interference in political affairs by Federal officials as is ascribed to Ex-Postmaster Reno. Democrats who are honest men will not approve or condone in their own partisans what they condemn in their opponents.

But if the Republican Administration shall remove Democratic office-holders for "offensive partisanship" it cannot consistently tolerate similar conduct in its own appointees. Let us see how the good Mr. Harrison and the truly good Mr. Wanamaker will manage this side of the question.—*N. Y. World.*

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NEWS AND OTHER NOTINGS.

—The Pennsylvania coal company have decided to shut down their fifteen collieries about Scranton at once. This will affect nearly two thousand men.

—About 3,000 brakes have been invented and patented. One of the latest is described as beautifully simple in its working. Push a button and the brakes are set on the entire train.

—David Conrad, proprietor of the Hotel Conrad at Canton, O., was recently buncoed out of $3,000 by two men giving the names of Umberhour and Cliffe. They got off safely with the money.

—Tompkins Warner, a farmer of Rochester, N. Y., 70 years of age, fell into his hog pen on Monday morning and was nearly devoured by the animals. He was decrepid and could not defend himself.

—At Chicago, Saturday evening, Police Lieutenant Beckwith and a thief named Jerry Sullivan fired several shots at each other, two of the bullets striking children and perhaps fatally injuring them. Sullivan was finally captured.

—A peculiar accident happened to Wm. Fisher, a Lima, O., youth. He was standing under a street lamp, when the glass broke. He looked upward to see what was the matter, when a large fragment of glass hit him in the eye, cutting the ball nearly in two.

—A. J. Pettit, an aged citizen of West Finley township, Washington county, was found dead in the road about one and a half miles from Fenl Intent, last Thursday morning. He had broken his neck by a fall from his wagon while on his way home from Claysville. His horses stood by the body of their master until it was found, fully 12 hours.

—A peculiar accident was met with last week by Oliver Tucker, whose home is at Elderville, this State. He was climbing a tree, when it split, allowing him to drop into the opening, which closed upon him, crushing him terribly. One of his eyes was squeezed from its socket. At last accounts the unfortunate man was living, but in a most critical condition.

—In the largest jewelry shops in New York, where $5 000 worth of gold is used a day, the gold is not weighed out to the workmen, and nothing but the honesty of the employes paevents loss. But while the gold is allowed to be thus exposed, tobacco has to be locked up because it has been found that the man who would not steal a grain of his employer's gold, would not hesitate to appropriate his neighbor's tobacco.

—As a passenger train from Claremont to Concord, New Hampshire, was nearing Mount Sunapee on Friday afternoon, the engineer saw a man near the track wildly waving his hands as if signaling the train. The train was stopped near where the man stood. When it had come to a standstill the man deliberately placed a revolver to his head and shot himself dead. He turned out to be Horace Palmer, thirty years old and a farmer working for Mr. Lear at Sutton. No cause assigned.

—A probably fatal shooting case, the parties to which are children aged 7 and 6 years respectively, occurred in Pottsville, Pa., on last Sunday afternoon. John Dietrick and Charles Day were playing together at the home of the former when they found a revolver in a closet. Dietrick pointed the weapon at Day when it was discharged, the 32 calibre ball entering the latter's nose, passing down through the roof of the mouth into the throat. A surgeon probed for the ball, but was unable to locate it.

—"Buddy" Lee, a colored puddler, was shot in the mouth and instantly killed at Pittsburg early last Sunday morning by Charles Allen, also colored, in front of "Yellow Row," a disreputable house. Allen was intoxicated, and imagined that Lee had insulted his wife. He found Lee standing on the sidewalk, and, without a moment's warning, shot him dead. Allen then fled, and has not been captured. Shortly after the murder the police raided the house and captured eight men and four women.

—In a cave on the western side of Bears' Mountain, overlooking the Cumberland Narrows, near Cumberland, Md., a boy named Daniel Scraun last Saturday evening found a human skeleton. Upon investigation it proved to be the remains of John Hodel, an inventor, who seven years ago next Friday left his home in a fit of despondency, and had not since been heard from. He had invented a clock of wonderful workmanship and resembling the Strasburg clock, but it failed of success financially.

—John Norris, of Wilkesgarre, Pa., a thrifty Austrian, who has no faith in Savings Banks, entrusted $1,255 to his wife for safe keeping. She sewed the money up in her petticoat, which she wore during the day time and at night placed under her pillow. During the absence of Norris from his home on Sunday night three masked men entered the wife's bedroom, gagged her, stole the petticoat and the money, and made good their escape. A neighbor named Wm. Standish has been arrested on suspicion, and Mrs. Norris identifies him as one of the thieves.

—Three small boys were discovered lying in an engine cab in the Pennsylvania Railroad yard, on Friday morning, in Jersey City. When ordered to leave they locked the door and threatened to start the engine. It had about 150 pounds of steam pressure in the boiler and there was danger of its exploding. Switches were turned so that if the engine started it would run of the track and the wheels were blocked so that it could not back up. Policemen were then sent for to dislodge the boys. The boys met them with showers of stones and coal. The policemen drew their revolvers and charged on them. A short hand-to hand battle followed, ending in the arrest of the boys.

—On last Sunday morning about eleven o'clock thirty-five out of 160 boys at the House of Refuge, Cincinnati, O., made a break for liberty. They were from 10 to 15 years old and were under four leaders, the chief of whom was a negro boy. These boys when it came time for them to retire to their rooms preparatory for dinner, instead of doing so marched in a body, armed with baseball bats, to the front entrance, where they found four guards stationed. They demanded free passage, but were driven back. Then they used bats and rocks and broke several windows. The noise attracted the attention of the police, and fifteen officers were sent to the place. The four ringleaders were locked in their rooms and quiet was restored. The four leaders made a similar attempt to escape once before.

—An old Dutch doctor named Sturfle Setzer, who lived in Franklin county, Ga., was the subject of a strange visitation. His house was situated about a half a mile from the graveyard, out of which a brilliant light would rise night after night, and passing over the tree tops settle over his house and remain stationery for a time, when it would again rise above the trees and sweep through the air in the direction from whence it came and sink into the earth at the graveyard. On the night of Setzer's death it shone more brilliantly than ever before—it hovered over the house for a long time, and as the dying man drew his last breath it arose in the air, and, like a flaming meteor, moved swiftly to the graveyard, sunk into the earth and was never seen again. There are many who witnessed this strange phenomena and saw the blazing specter on the very night the old Dutch doctor died.

—In a tenement-house in Worcester, Mass., on last Sunday afternoon Albert Lindstrom shot Emily Schenckle, mortally wounding her, and then, with the same weapon, put a bullet into his own head, causing instant death. The woman was his sweetheart, whom he had followed from Sweden. She had grown indifferent and finally flatly refused to marry. She had an interview with him Saturday, in which she agreed to meet him Sunday and pay him $30 of the $60 he had advanced to pay her passage across the water. She appeared to keep her engagement and met Lindstrom. The tragedy followed.

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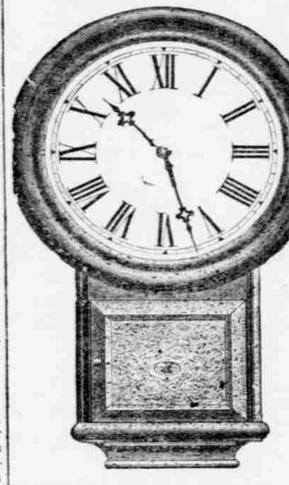

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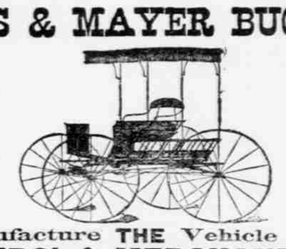

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FRIDAY, - - MARCH 29, 1889.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

—Spades will soon be trump.

—Next Monday will be all fools day.

—This is a good time to trim your trees.

—For sale a Jersey bull calf by G. Huntley.

—A slight rain fell on Wednesday afternoon.

—A large number of our residents are moving.

—The time for house cleaning will soon be at hand.

—Hunt up your garden tools and prepare for garden making.

—Mr. Pierce Lacy, of Loretto, was in town on Wednesday.

—The legal season for trout fishing is from April 15 to July 15.

—Mr. John D. Thomas, of the Brunswick Hotel, Carrolltown, was in town on Tuesday.

—Mr. George Huntley, of this place, has made fifty gallons of maple syrup up to date.

—When you want job printing of any kind done give the FREEMAN a trial. Prices reasonable.

—Mr. Frank Gurley, who had been visiting friends in Pittsburg, returned home on Monday.

—The examinations are being held during the present week in the public schools of this place.

—Our readers are requested to watch for the "ad" of Ebensburg's Bargain Store next week.

—The newly elected school directors will not take their seats until the first Monday in June.

—Mrs. John A. O'Hara, on Friday last, moved into their former home, opposite the Catholic church.

—Mr. Wm. Kelly, Carrolltown's enterprising marble cutter, was a visitor to our town on Wednesday.

—The State Agricultural Board's report says that one-third of the farm land area of the State is untilled.

—The Pennsylvania Railroad shops at Altoona are now running nine nine hours a day and a half holiday on Saturday.

—Mrs. Lucy Storm, wife of Mr. George Storm, the artist, who is well known in this county, died recently in New York city.

—Hon. A. A. Barker is reported a being ill at Washington and will be compelled to abandon his contemplated trip to the South.

—Mrs. R. E. Jones moved into the dwelling part of her new building on Wednesday and will occupy the store room next week.

—Mr. Christian Shinefelt, on Tuesday moved into his property on Julian street, recently purchased from Mr. T. B. O'Hara.

—Ex-Sheriff John Ryan, who was reprted to be seriously ill at his home in Johnstown, is improving and will soon be about again.

—Dr. T. J. Davison today (Thursday) moved into the West ward, into the house formerly occupied by Mr. Christian Shinefelt.

—Mr. James Wilson of Portage, has removed to Latrobe, Westmoreland county, where he will run an engine in the steel works.

—M. S. Hardman, a Pennsylvania Railroad brakeman, was fatally injured by falling from a train near Greensburg, Pa., on Tuesday.

—McDonald at Loretto keeps constantly on hands the best codfish, mackeral, herring, cheese, etc., at lowest prices for spot cash or trade.

—Mrs. Charles Burns, of Altoona, is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. John Bender, of the Cambria House, this place, the present week.

—A bill in the Legislature proposed to make the legal bushel of potatoes weigh 54 pounds and the legal bushel of clover seed weigh 60 pounds.

—Mr. W. R. Miller, of Groton, Dakota, nephew of Colonel Miller, proprietor of the Blair House, this place, is visiting friends here the present week.

—John Sprout, of Altoona, was drowned on Tuesday of last week by falling in a dam while attempting to cross over the breast while the water was high.

—John R. Dolbin, the lumber king of Dolbin, puts in about 30,000,000 feet of logs during the past winter, three fourths of which is pine, and the balance hemlock.

—The bird house erected on Julian street at the Central Hotel, is the work of Mr. Jacob Buckley who cannot be excelled as a mechanic when it comes down to fine work.

—On the authority of the *Scientific American*, it is stated that up to January 1, 1889, 9,161 patents for car couplings had been issued from the United States Patent Office.

—Sheriff Stimman has rented what is known as the Collins property on Centre street and will fit a short time remove his family and household treasures to this place.

—Last a short time ago on the road between Gillen's mill and Ebensburg, a black cashmere shawl. The finder will confer a favor by leaving it at the post office.

—Mr. David Warren, proprietor of the new Ebensburg bargain store, is doing a good business, and is always ready and willing to show goods. Call and see his stock.

—Rupture cure guaranteed by Dr. J. B. Mayer, 811 Arch St., Philadelphia, Pa. Ease at once, no operation or delay from business, attested by thousands of cures after others fail.

—A well-dressed tramp printer by the name of R. E. Rhodes was struck by Eastern express near George's station, Westmoreland county, on Thursday night last and ground to pieces.

—William Carney, Jr., was arrested on Tuesday last and gave bail for a hearing this (Thursday) afternoon, charged by H. J. Crouse with furnishing liquor to his son Herman, who is a minor.

—The Iron manufacturing firms of McLanahan, Smith & Company and the Hollidaysburg Iron Company, both of Hollidaysburg, have reduced the wages of their puddlers from $3.75 to $3.50 per ton.

—Governor Beaver has appointed Judge Neals, of Armstrong, Judge Mitchell, of Tioga, and Judge Hunter, of Westmoreland, to name the members of a commission to examine applicants for mine inspectors.

—Miss Mary E. Davis has removed her millinery store to her new room formerly occupied by Mr. David E. Evans, on High street, which has been recently remodled and improved and is an attractive business place.

—Miss Annie McMullen lost two fingers by a slipping at the new Altoona Silk Mill on Monday. This is the first accident at the mill since the opening day, January 15 last. Miss McMullen was engaged at the thread spinning machines.

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—The first thunder of the season in this place was heard on Wednesday.

—Among the tavern licenses granted in Hollidaysburg on Tuesday last was that of James Gromiller, who four years ago was foreman in the FREEMAN office; among those refused is John Fitzharris, formerly landlord of the Central Hotel in this place, and John L. Schroth, a former resident of Carrolltown.

—The residence of John McArthur and the house of John H. Long, in Altoona, were destroyed by fire on last Saturday night. Loss on first named building, $3,000, on which there was no insurance. The Long property was occupied by Harry Farber, whose furniture was destroyed. Insured for $1,000

—McDonald at Loretto has just received his first instalment of spring goods and the prices cannnot be beat in the county. 20 yards plaid dress goods, $1; 16 yards plain dress goods, $1; 16 yards ginghams, $1; 12 yards shirting, $1; 8 yards Kentucky jean, $1; 8 yards good ticking, $1, and all other goods at city prices for spot cash or trade.

—The doctors and scientific men of Scranton are interested in a peculiar case which developed in that city on Thursday. A week ago Chas. Nier ran a needle into his foot. Surgeons sought in vain for it. Nier was taken to the plant of the Suburban Electric railway and his foot held near one of the dynamos. In fifteen minutes the needle was drawn out.

—On Tuesday forenoon Messrs. Williams and Banks, two colored barbers in Wm. M. Peters' barber shop had a set-to and in the melee Banks had several fingers on his right hand badly lacerated with a razor. The affair attracted a large crowd, many of whom witnessed the cutting from the street, and there was much excitement for a time. —*Johnstown Democrat.*

—The Pine Flat correspondent of the Indiana *Progress* says: Mr. Elson Jones, who has been teaching school in Cambria county, met with an accident about ten days ago, that may prove quite serious. He fell on the ice and injured his hip so that he had to be carried home, and is not able to use his limb yet. He has the sympathy of the community, as he is an exemplary young man.

—The barn of McClure & Co., on the Myers farm, near Mt. Pleasant, Westmoreland county, was burned by an incendiary about dark Saturday evening last. Two horses were roasted to death, and several mules were so badly burned that they cannot live. Hay, feed, wagons, harness, etc., also fell a prey to the flames. Loss about $8,000, upon which there was a partial insurance.

—The proprietors of eleven well known restaurants at Pittsburg were each fined $100 and costs for using oleomarine instead of butter on their tables. One of the defendants produced testimony to show that he had purchased his butter from the dairy owned by a county commissioner of that county. An analysis, however, showed that the butter contained both oleomargine and cotton-seed oil.

—On Tuesday the License Court at Hollidaysburg granted license to 32 hotels and 8 breweries. Altoona gets 23 hotel and 5 breweries; Tyrone 7 hotels and 1 brewery; Hollidaysburg 2 hotels and 2 breweries, two less than last year. The American House, of Hollidaysburg, which has been licensed for 40 years, was refused a license. No licenses were granted in the small towns or country districts. Judge Dean ruled that the Altoona hotel men must pay $500 license fee.

—In another column will be found the announcement of Mr. James C. Darby, of Conemaugh borough, as a candidate for Prothonotary, subject to the decision of the Democratic primaries. Mr. Darby was a candidate three years ago and the flattering vote he then received is an indication that he has a large number of friends in the county. He is a competent and deserving Democrat and if nominated and elected will make a courteous and competent official.

—On Tuesday morning, about 6 o'clock, a brakeman named H. S. Hardman, whose home is at Derry, Westmoreland county, while a train of stock cars was being thrown in at the west end of the Derry yards, was, by some unknown means, thrown from the car and under the train, which passed over him, rolling him over and over along the ties, and injuring him so badly that at last accounts it was thought he could not recover. He is a married man and, with his family resides at Derry.

—Oliver Tucker, living at Elderville, in Washington county, was fatally injured a few days ago. A tree caught fire, and fearing serious trouble from the flying sparks, Tucker determined to cut down the tree, but Tucker volunteered to climb and extinguish the flames. When a considerable distance up, the tree parted and Tucker fell into the split of the tree, which closed upon him, crushing him in a horrible manner. He was taken from his position still living, but his injuries will prove fatal.

—Commencing on Monday last the Pennsylvania Railroad company will make a new departure in the shape of special tickets issued to parties of ten or more persons. The rate at which these tickets will be sold will be two cents per mile, a reduction of one cent per mile. This privilege is extended to the entire system, and will be a great advantage to excursion parties. Heretofore three rates have been extended only to theatrical companies. It will also be an inducement to parties of ten or more who desire to take a trip by rail.

—Last September, says the Johnstown *Tribune*, Daniel, son of Justice Henry Rauch, of Jennerstown, Somerset county, was appointed to a cadetship, at the naval academy, Annapolis, Md. When he reported for examination he was suffering from a severe cold and was rejected, the doctors claiming he had nasal catarrh. He returned home and subsequently was examined by Drs. Lambert and Walker, who could find no traces of catarrh, and Congressman Scull has again nominated the young man to the academy. The examination at the academy takes place in May.

—The following members of Company C, 109th Pennsylvania Volunteers, from this place, were in attendance at the reunion of that regiment held at Carlisle on Monday last; William A. Jones, W. H. Davis, John Bauer, S. W. Davis, Edward Owens, T. B. Davis, D. T. James, Thomas D. Davis, John A. Jones, James A. Myers, William Clement and F. H. Barker. John Davis and A. Y. Jones, formerly of Ebensburg, but now residents of Karie, Pa., were also present. It was the first reunion held since the regiment disbanded nearly a quarter of a century ago, and the pleasant meeting of old comrades after so long a parting will be remembered by those who were there.

—The Chicago *Industrial World* says: "Mr. Clifford J. Ellis, representative in this city (Phenix Building) of the Cambria Iron company, at Johnstown, Pa., reports the best of results from the steel axles made for freight and passengers cars since the introduction of Coffin's patented process of toughening axles, and they can offer an article far superior to iron or ordinary open-hearth steel. The Pennsylvania railroad test requires five blows from a 1,640-pound weight raised twenty feet in the air, the axle being turned between each blow. One axle of each hundred is subjected to this test. These blows have been continued in testing the toughened axle and they readily stood fifty blows. Lack of time prevents carrying the punishment further, but in one case where the test was prolonged, the axle did not break until the 121st blow."

—Herman Crouse, a young man of this place, was arrested on Monday last charged with robbing the till of Mr. R. L. Davis. It seems that on Monday young Crouse had been in and out of Mr. Davis' store several times and about one o'clock dropped in when Mr. Davis was out in his lot. Mr. Davis' housekeeper called him to come in that he was wanted in the store, but on coming in found no one. Shortly afterwards on going to the money drawer he found there was nine dollars missing and at once suspected Crouse. On making inquiries he found that Crouse had been spending some money in different places, and on Mr. Davis meeting him and charging him with the theft he acknowledged the taking of the money and returned five dollars of the amount. A warrant was issued for his arrest and he was placed in jail to await a trial.

—McDonald still holds the fort at Loretto, Pa., and is selling goods at rock bottom prices for spot cash or good marketable produce as follows: Sugars, 6, 7, 8 and 9 cents per pound; green and black teas, 35, 50 and 70 cents per pound; coffees, 15, 23 and 27 cents per pound; 5 boxes essence of coffee, 10 cents; 5 papers baking soda, 10 cents; 2 boxes baking powder, 10 cents; 2 boxes of yeast, 10 cents; 6 boxes (1200) matches, 10 cents; 6 plces star soap, 25 cents; 6 pounds hominy, 25 cents; 6 pounds of oatmeal, 25 cents; 5 pounds barley, 25 cents; 4 pounds best rice, 25 cents; 2 good brooms, 50 cents; 2 good wash boards, 30 cents; molasses, 30 cents per gallon; good syrup, 40 and 50 cents per gallon; lamp oil, 10 and 15 cents per gallon; best black oil, 40 cents per gallon; flour, $1.15 per sack; salt $1.25 per barrel; chop, $1.25 per hundred pounds. Dry goods, notions, boots, shoes, etc., etc., at equally low prices for spot cash or trade. We refuse no trustworthy neighbor a short accommodation 30 or 60 days at the above prices.

Items from Carrolltown.

CARROLLTOWN, PA., March 27, 1889.

DEAR FREEMAN:—Already improvements are being made in Carrolltown, notwithstanding that spring has scarcely thrown her mantle over us. Mr. Will Fagan has almost completed a two story building for a painting establishment on the lot purchased by him on the Monastery plot. It is also stated that he will remove the building thereto for a residence, now owned and occupied by Mr. P. L. Eck as a residence. The latter gentleman will erect a fine cased brick building on the site of the old residence. Ex-Sheriff Gray has also commenced remodeling his residence and business place on Main street. Mr. John Hauk will soon commence the erection of a large building on Main street opposite his store, but to be used for what purpose I have not yet ascertained.

On Sunday Rev. Prior Benedict announced to his congregation here that a collection would be taken up to defray the expenses of painting and frescoing the inside of the church, and that later on a collection would be made for supplying new pews. These are very much needed repairs and I have no doubt liberal contributions will be made by the congregation.

The Directors of the Cambria County Agricultural Association met here on Monday, and among other business transacted announced a pic-nic and several interesting trotting races to be held on the Fair grounds on the 4th and 5th of July next.

James Null Esq., has received the appointment of Justice of the Peace in this place, instead of Esq. Noel resigned.

Negotiations are still going on for the sale and purchase of the Carrolltown *News*.

Mary, a three month old child of Mr. J. G. C. Bearer, of Carroll township, died on Saturday morning and was buried in the Catholic cemetery here on Monday morning.

Mr. J. A. Shoemaker has commenced the erection of the poles for the telephone line between this place and Hastings.

Mrs. J. E. Cramer has been appointed postmistress at Chest Springs.

It was reported here on Wednesday that Mr. Peter Campbell had received the appointed of postmaster of Carrolltown. Although there was no truth in the rumor, it is conceded by many that if a change is made Mr. Campbell will be the man.

TOM.

Our Daily Bread.

Heavy and sour bread or biscuit has a vast influence through the digestive organs upon the measure of health we enjoy. How important to our present happiness and future usefulness the blessing of good health and a sound constitution are, we can only realize when we have lost them, and when it is too late to repair the damage. Notwithstanding these facts, thousands of persons daily jeopardize not only their health, but their lives, and the health and lives of others, by using articles in the preparation of their food the purity and healthfulness of which they know nothing. Perhaps a few cent may have been saved, or it may have been more convenient to obtain the articles used, and the housekeeper takes the responsibility and possibly will never know the mischief that his been wrought. Paterfamilias may have spells of headache, the children may lose their appetites, or look pale; if so, the true cause is rarely suspected. The weather, the lack of exercise, or some other cause is given, and the unwholesome, poisonous system of adulterated food goes on. Next to the flour, which should be made of good sound wheat and not ground too fine, the best yeast or baking powder, which furnishes the rising properties, is of the greatest importance, and of the two we prefer baking powder, and always use the Royal, as we thereby retain the original properties of the wheat, no fermentation taking place. The action of the Royal Baking Powder upon the dough is simply to swell it and form little cells through every part. These cells are filled with carbonic acid gas, which passes off during the process of baking.

The Royal is made from pure grape acid, and it is the action of this acid upon highly carbonized bicarbonate of soda that generates the gas alluded to; and these ingredients are so pure and so perfectly fitted, tested and adapted to each other, that the action is mild and permanent, and is continued during the whole time of baking, and no residue of poisonous ingredients remains to undermine the health, no heavy biscuits, no sour bread, but if directions are followed, every article will be found sweet and wholesome.

After Using

Ely's Cream Balm two months I was surprised and delighted to find that the right nostril, which was closed up entirely for over seventy years, was open and free as the other, and can use it now as I could not do for many years. I feel very thankful.—B. H. Cressenghaus, 275 18th St., Brooklyn.

From the Pastor of the Olivet Baptist Church, Philadelphia, Pa.: I was so much troubled with catarrh it seriously effected my voice. One bottle of Ely's Cream Balm did the work. My voice is fully restored.—B. F. Llepsner.

Shiloh's Consumption Cure.

This is beyond question the most successful Cough Medicine we have ever sold, a few doses invariably cure the worse cases of Cough, Croup, and Bronchitis, while its wonderful success in the cure of Consumption is without parallel in the history of medicine. Since its first discovery it has been sold on a guarantee, a test which no other medicine can stand. If you have a Cough we earnestly ask you to try it Price 10 cents, 50 cents, and $1.00. If your Lungs are sore, Chest or Back lame, use Shiloh's Porous Plasters. Sold by Dr. T. J Davison.

Reade Township Items.

READE TWP., March 28, 1889.

ED FREEMAN:—Rev. W. A. Baelr, of Glasgow, and lady who have been in Clearfield and Jefferson counties for the past few months where the reverend gentleman has been conducting successful revival meetings, returned home last Tuesday. Mr. Baelr and Mrs. Baelr have many warm friends in this section all of whom were glad to welcome them back.

A few of the energetic citizens of Mountain Dale have constructed a tie-walk from Locust to Main streets in that city. Citizens of Glasgow "go thou and do likewise."

A test-gas and mineral well will be put down shortly at Mountain Dale, on the estate of the late R. T. Van Scoyoc, of that place. It will be sank to the depth of 1,000 feet.

By the development of a good vein of fire clay the little village of Mountain Dale has received quite a boom. The vein has been opened on the land of Mr. Jos. Gwin, Sr. Dame rumor says fifty dwelling houses will be erected to accommodate the workmen engaged in this new mine.

Fred Bland, of New Germany, has embarked in the mercantile business. He is having a store room built for that business.

Mr. Jay Bowman, of Mountain Dale, is erecting a dwelling house opposite the "checkered corner" store at Mountain Dale. Get the cage ready, Jay, then the "bird" you know.

Log driving and rafting on the Clearfield and its tributaries are going on briskly. The lumbermen are pushing their timber towards markets very rapidly.

Thos. Evans, of near Flynn city, contemplates an extended western trip this coming summer. He will leave about the first of May and will visit all the points of interest in Arkansas as far north as British America. Mr. Evans has a brother in Arkansas who is reputed as being very wealthy.

Drive slow "young spoony," or we'll tear you up by piece meal and feed your foul carcas to the devouring flames of the printer's brimstone. True the skunk is an animal not worth the powder it takes to kill it, yet we do not want it trespassing on our premises spreading its foul odor about. Your ignorance and imbicility will always keep you down on a leval with the apes, whose sensibilities you will often wound and even whose respect you will fail to win or deserve.

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED.

The following marriage licenses were issued by the Clerk of the Orphans' Court for the week ending Wednesday, March 27, 1889:

Reubin Miller and Josephine Kelper, Adams township.

Conrad Walker and Justice Unversagt, Johnstown.

Gust Neltzell, Ehrenfield and Josephine Navaux, Portage.

Desira Lemaine and Narie Navaux, Portage.

Frederick H. Brenning and Irma Navaux, Portage.

DIED.

BROWN—Died at the residence of her parents in Ebensburg on Friday, March 22, 1889, Annie, daughter of Mr. Joseph and Elizabeth Brown, aged about 8 years.

TOPPER—Died at the residence of her parents in Loretto, March 22, 1889, Miss Stella F. Topper, aged 22 years 2 months and 5 days.

After a brief illness of but a few weeks the deceased succumbed to that dread disease consumption. Her early death is mourned by a large circle of friends by whom she was dearly beloved for her amiable and kind disposition. She was a devout member of the Catholic church and leaves us an excellent example of christain faith, piety and resignation to the Divine Will. Her funeral took place at Loretto Monday at 10 o'clock A. M. The societies of the "Sacred Heart" and "Children of Mary" attended in a body. Our heartfelt sympathies are extended to the bereaved family in their sad affliction. M.

STATEMENT OF SETTLEMENT WITH the Supervisors of White township for the year ending 1889.

DANIEL STRAYER, SUPERVISOR. Dr.

To am't of work duplicate	$324 84
To clerical mistake of clerk of 1888	30 00
To order on Commissioners for services	20 00
	$374 84

Cr.

By work done by taxables	$303 99
By exonerations	2 19
By returns to Commissioners	14 90
By oath and bond	1 00
By plow and doubletree	2 00
By hammers	1 00
By one day at Ebensburg and expence	3 50
By one day at Donnally bridge	1 05
By one plow point	75
By personal services as supervisor	39 00
	$374 04

Balance due twp. from D. Strayer $10.80.

LUKE DURBIN, SUPERVISOR. Dr.

To am't of work duplicate	$249 78
To order on Commissioners	39 00
To order on Commissioners	30 00
	$318 98

Cr.

By work done by taxables	$194 13
By exonerations	2 85
By am't not worked of duplicate of 1888	57 00
By 24 days personal services	51 00
By oath and bond	1 00
By self and 2 men	2 00
By 2 days to Ebensburg	6 00
By cutting out trees	2 00
	$316 98

ASSETS.

Balance due from Commissioners	$469 70
Balance due from Daniel Strayer	10 50
	$471 80

LIABILITIES.

Outstanding orders on supervisors	$ 47 93
Outstanding orders on Commissioners	102 95
	$149 88
Balance due township	$321 92

We, the undersigned auditors have examined the forgoing statement and find them correct.

J. H. FISK,
C. J. DUNCAN,
J. A. GAINES,
} Auditors.

White Twp., March 29, 1889.

STATEMENT OF SETTLEMENT WITH the Supervisors of Chest township for year ending March 4, 1889.

MARTIN YAHNER, SUPERVISOR. Dr.

To am't of duplicate	$216 10
To am't received of Jacob Warner	110 00
To order to balance account	48 25
	$374 35

Cr.

By am't of work done on roads	$249 68
By transfer of taxes	26 77
By lands returned	5 00
By returns to Commissioners	25 50
By backsmithing and repairs	6 35
By plow points	1 00
By one trip to Carrolltown	1 00
By order on bridge	1 50
By am't paid for dynamite	6 55
	$374 35

JACOB WARNER, SUPERVISOR. Dr.

To am't of duplicate	$194 64
To am't received of Martin Yahner	9 98
To am't received from C. Gill, of Elder twp.	6 40
To am't received from Commissioners	600 00
	$811 02

Cr.

By am't of work done on roads	$247 09
By one trip to Ebensburg	2 00
By one plow	1 00
By repairs and plank	8 75
By powder and dynamite	7 03
By one plow point	50
By am't paid Martin Yahner	110 00
By personal services 22½ days @ $1.50	33 75
By lands returned	2 00
By publishing statements for 1889-87	10 00
By orders redeemed	131 77
By order of taxes	10 83
By orders redeemed	59 75
By cash on hands	177 29
	$811 02

LIABILITIES.

One note in favor of Martin Deitrich	$100 00

We, the undersigned auditors of Chest township do certify that the forgoing statement is true and correct.

HENRY LEIDEN,
JOHN BAKER,
} Auditors.

Attest: JOSEPH HIRSCH, Clerk.
Chest Twp., March 29, 1889.—3t.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Matthias Hoffman, late of Allegheny township, Cambria county, Pa., deceased have been granted to the undersigned. All persons indebted to said estate are hereby notified to make payment to me without delay, and those having claims against the same will present them, properly authenticated for settlement.

JOSEPHINE HOFFMAN,
SIMON VAUGHT,
Adm'rs of Matthias Hoffman.

Feb. 22, 1889.—6t.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

TO THE DEMOCRACY OF CAMBRIA COUNTY. I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination for the office of Register and Recorder at the ensuing Democratic Primary. CELESTINE J. BLAIR.

Ebensburg, March 20, 1889.

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY
James M. Walters of Johnstown, Pa.
Subject to the decision of the Democratic Primaries.

Ebensburg March 15, 1889.

FOR PROTHONOTARY.
To the Democratic voters of Cambria county. I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination of the office of Prothonotary, subject to the decision of the Democratic primaries
JAMES C. DARBY.

Conemaugh Bor., First ward, March 25, 1889.

FOR SALE.—House and lot in Ebensburg, Pa. A never failing spring, stable and outbuilding on premises. Inquire at E. Dufton & Son, hardware store.

Ebensburg, Oct. 12, 1888.

STRAY STEER.—Came to the residence of the subscriber residing in Washington township, some time in October last a red yearling steer. The owner is requested to come foreward, prove property, pay charges and take him away otherwise he will be disposed of according to law.

PAUL McKENNA.

Washington Twp., March 8, 1887.-6t.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Letters of administration upon the estate of John Shuman, late of Jackson township, in the county of Cambria, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them properly authenticated for settlement.

ADAM SHUMAN.

Ebensburg, March 22, 1889.-6t. Adm'r.

AUDITORS' NOTICE.—In the matter of the account of John A. Blair, assignee of Joseph Gutwald. Having been appointed auditor by the Court of Common Pleas of Cambria county to report distribution of the fund in the hands of the accountant, notice is hereby given that I will sit at my office in the borough of Ebensburg on Saturday, April 6th, 1889, at ten o'clock A. M., to discharge the duties of said appointment at which time and place all persons interested shall attend or be debarred from coming in on said fund.

DONALD E. DUFTON,
Ebensburg, March 8, 1889.-3t. Auditor.

FARM FOR SALE—There will be disposed of at private sale, a farm situate in Allegheny township, one-fourth mile from Loretto, on the road leading from said place to Ebensburg. This farm contains about 80 acres, about 60 acres of which are cleared, having thereon a new two-story frame house and barn, fine orchard, etc., and is in a good state of cultivation and well watered. For further particulars address

FRANCIS O'FRIEL,
Loretto, Feb. 1, 1889. Loretto, Pa.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that letters of administration cum testamento annexo on the estate of Richard Mayers, late of Summerhill township, Cambria county, Pa., deceased have been granted to the undersigned. All persons indebted to said estate are hereby notified to make payment to me without delay, and those having claims against the same will present them, properly authenticated for settlement to

HENRY M. HUGH,
Adm'r of Richard Mayers, dec'd.

WHO WOULD BE WITHOUT A HOME.—The Beech Grove Coal and Coke company, located at Gallitzin, Pa., offer to sell seven hundred (700) Lots on the sunny side of Tunnel Hill, not more than four hundred yards from churches and school houses. As there will be pure water running through this district in less than a year, and the Lots are located in the midst of a prosperous section the investment cannot fail to be profitable. We will sell these Lots on monthly payments so that all who wish may have a home. All communications should be addressed to

THOMAS BRADLEY,
Gallitzin, Pa.

Dec. 14, 1888.—3m.

NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Governor of Pennsylvania on Saturday the 16th day of March, 1889, by J. C. Pugh, Thomas Hart, M. C. Watson, J. K. Caldwell and S. J. Telford under the Act of Assembly entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations" approved April 29th, 1874, and the supplements thereto for the charter of an intended corporation to be called the "Indiana Telephone Company." The charter and object of which is for constructing, maintaining and leasing lines for telegraph for the private use of individuals, firms, corporations, municipal or otherwise for general business, and for police, fire alarm or messenger business or for the transaction of any kind of business which electricty over or through wire may be applied to any useful purpose, and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of said Act of Assembly and supplements thereto.

WATSON & TELFORD, Solicitors.

Feb. 22, 1889.

APPLICATION FOR CHARTER.—Notice is hereby given that under the provisions of the Act of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania entitled "An Act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of natural gas companies," Approved May 29th, 1885, John O'Neill, Martin H. Mackey, J. A. Kelly, William M. Findley, William J. Helmling, John C. Hoover, et. al, citizens of the State of Pennsylvania will on the 15th day of March, 1889, apply to the Governor of said commonwealth to be incorporated under the name of the "Mountain City Natural Gas Co."

The purpose of the proposed corporation is to produce, deal in, transport, store and supply natural gas for light and heat, and it is intended to mine for produce or receive said gas in the counties of Indiana, Jefferson, Clearfield and Cambria in the State of Pennsylvania, and supply the same to customers along its main line or lines of pipe and branches and within convenient connecting distances thereof to the citizens of the several leading towns located in said counties where the business is intended to be carried on. Also to supply customers of the city of Altoona and its suburbs and the borough of Hollidaysburg, Blair county, Pa., with natural gas for light and heat from said counties. The several route of the contemplated pipe lines and the towns to be supplied with said natural gas to be more fully and specifically set forth in application for charter; and it is intended that the principal office of said corporation shall be in the city of Altoona, Pa.

J. C. VANDERLIN, Solicitor.

Feb. 15, 1889.—6t.

STATEMENT OF SETTLEMENT WITH the Supervisors of Blacklick township for year ending March 11, 1889.

JOHN BLICKENDERFER, SUPERVISOR. Dr.

To am't road duplicate	$335 84
To cash duplicate	87 74
To order to Commissioners	90 00
	$513 58

CONTRA CR.

By work done on roads	$318 99
By services as supervisor	61 77
By am't returned to Commissioners	12 04
By exonerations	2 44
By exonerations and returned cash tax	6 66
By am't from Jacob Stiles	1 33
By percentage for collecting tax	4 18
By orders redeemed	112 79
	$518 68

JACOB STILES, SUPERVISOR. Dr.

To am't work duplicate	$360 57
To cash duplicate	102 53
To order on supervisor	7 60
	$469 70

CONTRA CR.

By work on roads	$331 28
By returned road and cash tax	7 10
By exonerations	1 60
By orders redeemed	40 53
By percentage collecting cash tax	5 01
By services as supervisor	62 45
By am't transferred to J. Blickendefer	1 33
	$469 70

Outstanding cash orders $1.60
Outstanding work orders $11.39.
Am't due from Commissioners $89 14.

We, the undersigned auditors do certify that the forgoing statement is true and correct.

T. S. ENFIELD,
J. H. MILLER,
PETER WAGNER,
} Auditors.

Attest: G. A. MICHAELS, Clerk.
Blacklick Twp., March 29, 1889.

GUARDIAN'S SALE —OF— REAL ESTATE

BY virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Cambria county, I will offer for sale on

FRIDAY, APRIL 5, 1889.

AT 2 O'CLOCK P. M.

Fourteen and one-third acres of land in Reade township, Cambria county, adjoining land of Luther Glasgow on the north, I. Hollen on the east and lands of the heirs of Timothy R. Lumadoe on the west and south. Sale to be held on the premises.

TERMS OF SALE:—One-half of the purchase money to be paid on the confirmation of sale and the balance in six months thereafter with interest, to be secured by the judgment bond of the purchaser. Deed to be paid for by the purchaser.

SAMUEL KUHN,
Guardian of the minor children of T. R. Lumadoe
Ebensburg, March 22, 1889.

TIMBER FOR SALE.

THE UNDERSIGNED IS THE OWNER OF a tract of land situated in Cambria township, Cambria county, Pa., containing about **180 ACRES**, located 3½ miles North of Ebensburg, which is heavily timbered with

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The timber on said premises or the land and timber is for sale, and for further information in regard to same apply to or address

EDWARD GRIFFITH,
Ebensburg, Pa.

Ebensburg, March 22, 1889.-8t.

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RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES OF EBENSBURG BOROUGH FROM MARCH 15, 1888, TO MARCH 13, 1889.

ISAAC DAVIS, TREASURER. Dr.

To balance due at settlement	$ 283 95
To am't of duplicate for 1888	1994 78
To am't received from Burgess as per receipt on docket	149 56
To am't received from T. J. Williams, Judge of election	3 00
To am't received from R. L. Thomas, water superintendant	1537 24
To am't received from D. E. Evans, weighmaster	101 45
To am't received from John Owens, weighmaster	46 47
To am't received from County Treasurer	342 00
To am't of 5 per cent. added on delinquent taxes	8 29
Total	$4426 74
To balance at settlement	$1073 61

ISAAC DAVIS, TREASURER. Cr.

By am't of orders paid	$1750 76
By am't of bonds lifted (old series)	360 00
By am't of bonds lifted (new series)	960 00
By am't of coupons lifted	216 00
By am't of accrued interest paid	17 00
By am't of tax returned to Co. Com'rs	84
By am't of rebate to taxpayers on $690.22 for prompt payment	34 51
By 2 per cent. com. on $655.71	13 11
By 5 per cent. com. on $1008.79	54 94
By 5 per cent. com. on $174.13	8 71
By 2 per cent. com. for paying out $3417.76	63 56
Balance due borough	1073 61
Total	$4426 74

Itemized Statement of Bor'gh Expenses.

Repairs	$ 46 89
Street Commissioner	69 15
Clerk's Salary	40 40
Solicitor's Salary	25 00
Burgess' Salary	25 00
Auditing	18 00
Police	72 00
Lumber	13 62
Exonerations	59 00
Printing	20 50
Dauntless Fire Co (appropriation)	50 00
Dauntless Fire Co. (ladder)	48 00
Tax on Loans	20 10
Boarding Prisoners	13 25
Lamplighter's Salary (1887)	66 50
Lamplighter's Salary (1888)	59 74
Hardware	21 07
Gasoline	122 96
Miscellaneous	11 85
Total	$825 14

Water Works.

Repairs	$182 94
Fuel	134 05
Plumbing	67 25
Rent	50 00
Superintendant's Salary for 1887	175 00
" " " 1888	200 00
Pumping	51 00
Freight	2 24
Express	1 90
Hardware	67 00
Money Refunded to J. S. Miller	7 50
Total	$925 62

Liabilities.

Outstanding Water Bonds (old series)	$2400 00
Outstanding Water Bonds (new series)	2160 00
Outstanding Orders	8 15
Total	$4568 15

Assets.

Balance in hands of Isaac Davis, Treas.	$1670 61
Balance in hands of D. E. Evans, weighmaster	5 48
Balance in hands of John Owens, weighmaster	23
Total	$1679 22

We, the undersigned Audit

Wit and Wisdom.

The frog catchers should pool their issues.

A settler on the grounds—The one in the coffee.

The heart ought to give charity when the hand cannot.

Even a small barber may be called a shopping fellow.

Where should we feel for the poor? In your pocket, to be sure.

It is Venice, the city of canals, that has the largest floating population.

What is the best and cheapest light especially for painters? Daylight!

Why should oil producers ever grumble? They live on the fat of the land.

A great race between a nightmare and a clothes horse took place recently.

It is the very reason some people are not happy, because they think others are happier.

Sunday school teacher—What is the fruit of the tree of knowledge? Boston boy—Beans!

It is a good thing to possess confidence in others, but much safer to depend upon yourself.

No person need make a great effort in the affectation of manners, it is noticeable enough.

One of the causes that leads us to misfortune is that we live according to the example of others.

Though a man may be hopelessly blind, he is sure to go to sea when he crosses the ocean.

A lady refers to the time she spends in front of her looking-glass as "moments of reflection."

"What a pity it is," says a city clergyman, "that there are so many sweet sinners and sour saints."

Visitor—You don't seem to mind what your mother says, Johnny. Little Johnny—No, but dad does.

Why may a beggar wear a very short coat? Because it will be long enough before he gets another one.

A lady had her likeness taken so well, that her husband said he thought he preferred it to the original.

Nothing will render a man useless faster than to live among people who think that everything he says is right.

She was so inconsolable for the death of her husband that when she played the piano she touched only the black keys.

Do make yourselves at home ladies, said Mrs. Smith, to some unwelcome visitors. I am at home myself, and sincerely wish you all were.

A clergyman who married a couple of deaf mutes in Brooklyn the other day made a bad break when he wished them "unspeakable bliss."

Playing in the Puddles.

On the birthday of Napoleon Charles, son of Louis Napoleon and Hortense, and a child whom the Emperor Napoleon meant to make his heir, he and his mother were seated at a window in the palace which opened upon the grand avenue. A heavy shower had fallen, and the avenue was full of pools of water. A group of barefooted children were out there wading in the water and playing with little chip boats. The young Prince, richly dressed, in a splendid hall and surrounded by his elegant and costly birthday presents, turned carelessly away from his toys and watched the children with eager interest.

"So then, my son?" said his mother, you are not grateful for your presents."

Oh, yes," replied the young Prince, "but I am so used to toys. Look at those little boys, mamma?"

"Do you wish for money to give them?"

"Papa gave me enough this morning."

"Well, what ails you? What do you want?"

"Oh," said the young Prince, hesitatingly, "I know you won't let me, but if I could go out and play in these beautiful puddles, it would amuse me a hundred times more than all my elegant toys, Oh, please let me go."

So the real enjoyments are not always the most costly, and poor children enjoy liberties unknown to some rich ones.

How to stop a Runaway Horse

When you see a runaway horse coming, do not try to check him by a rush from the opposite direction or the side, for you will be immediately knocked flat by the collision, but instead prepare yourself for a short run with the horse. Measure with your eye the distance, and start for the run while he is yet some way off, perhaps ten feet in the case of fair to medium runaways. You may depend upon his keeping a straight line, for a really frightened horse is half blind, and would not veer for a steam engine. He will go straight ahead until he smashes into something. So do you get close to the line on which he is rushing, and, as he passes you, grab the reins near the saddle. Gather the reins firmly, and then, leaning backward as you run, give them a powerful yank. You may be able to brace yourself somewhat as you give this yank, half sliding on your feet. The strong jerk on the bits tells the horse that he again has has a master, and prepares him for the final struggle. A step or two forward after the first yank, do it again. This is the finishing stroke. It never fails when given by a determined man. The horse is on his haunches. Keep a firm pull on the reins till you grasp the horse by the nostrils, and hold him so until he is pacified.

An indelible ink that cannot be erased even with the acids, can be obtained from the following recips: To good gall ink add a strong solution of Prussian blue dissolved in distilled water. This will form a writing fluid which cannot be erased without destruction of the paper. The ink will write greenish blue, but afterwards will turn black.

We meet a great many men whose talk is like a bunch of fire crackers, when they are first touched off—full of pop for a few minutes, and then all is over.

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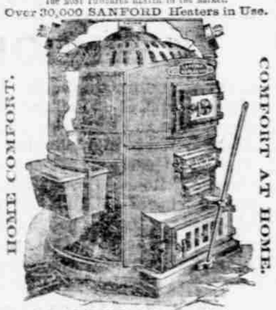

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Chicken Houses.

One of the difficulties in chicken raising is that but few hen houses have been built which answer for both winter and summer, says a correspondent of the *American Rural Home*. For a flock of twenty fowls I prefer a house 12x12 feet, 7 feet high at the rear and 9 feet at the front, the roof to be of tarred paper, and the floor of close boards. Board floors are prefered as they can be swept off with a broom if kept well dusted with dry earth and as they are always dry, there will be less liability to dampness. The floor should be raised about three feet from the ground the front side open to the yard. The object in raising it up three feet is to guard against harboring rats. It also affords an open shelter in winter, as the three closed sides protect the fowls against the winds and afford shade in the summer. In other words it is a covered run for the fowls and really gives double space, as the birds can lay and roost above, steps being provided for them to go up or down to the space above the floor. A small window on the south side will give all necessary light, as too much glass causes loss of heat by radiation at night.

The roost should be about six inches above a two-foot wide board, at the rear of the house and the nests underneath, which saves space. Of course two or three steps will be necessary in order to enter the door to the upper part, which should be on the west end of the house near the front. The floor under the board floor should be of earth, raised about the surrounding ground, or if one inch wire mesh be underlaid the floor to keep the rats out, it may be of boards. The interior may be lined with any kind of cheap building paper. There should be two ventilators at the two highest corners of the house to be kept open during the day only. Such a house is excellent for winter. In summer the windows may be taken out and a screen wire netting put in place and the opening in the floor where the fowls enter may then be covered with a screen also. This plan will if the ventilators are kept open give plenty of fresh air in summer.

Snow Forts in War.

A great many young play-warriors have built formidable snow forts but they never have imagined, probably, that there could be such a thing as the use of snow forts by actual soldiers, and for purposes of defence against bullets. Qately, however, the Norwegian officers have been conducting some interesting experiments in snow fortifications.

A colonel in the royal service recently constructed entrenchments of packed snow about three yards in thickness. Then he placed a firing detachment a distance of thirty-three yards from the the entrenchments and caused 300 rifle shots to be fired into the fort. After the firing the snow walls were examined and it was found that not a single rifle ball had penetrated more than a yard and a quarter into the snow. The bullets were found flattened out as if they had been fired into some hard substance.

Such breastworks would undoubedly prove very useful against infantry, in a winter campaign in a snowy country. But a military force entrenched bahind them would have occasion to fear a thaw or a heavy rain quite as much as the bullets of the enemy.

Depth to Set Posts.

Correspondents in different parts of the country differ widely as to the depth of hole needed for fence posts. Some say that two feet is ample depth, while others insist on three feet. Both may be and probably are right. The depth must vary with the probable freezing of the soil. The bottom of the post ought to be at least six inches below the probable depth of freezing. That amount of soil will remain packed about the foot of the post and hold it down. Something also depends on the material of which the fence is made. Boards offer too much resistance to winds, and at the top of the fence act on the post as on a lever, twisting it out of the ground. Fence rails attached to posts have the additional objection that their weight sags the post so soon as the wind causes it to lean. Careful farmers now make post-and-rail fences with one or two strands of barbed wire at the top. After a little experience with this fence by leading stock up to it they generally learn to give it a wide berth. Such a fence will not blow down nor easily sag if the posts are sunk below frost depth.

"Drilled" Wheat.

When the farmer sowed his wheat in the old-fashioned way by stalking over the fields with a bag hung around his neck and flung his seed to the four winds; when the implements of the farmer were crude and his mechanical resources limited, the cold and frost were the dread foes of the tillers of the West and Northwest. Great progress has been made in the art of agriculture since that period. But in the march of improvement the weather problem had to be mastered. An ingenious Yankee did it. He invented the "drill," with which every farmer in the West now sows his wheat. It saves time and labor and, in the event of a severe freeze, it saves the plant itself. Every grain of wheat raised in the great wheat growing section is drilled wheat, and the universal testimony of the farmers is that drilled wheat, in its early growth, can't be "frozen out," because the root of the plant is too deep in the ground, whereas the hand-sown wheat of former days took root very near the surface, and necessarily suffered in severe weather.

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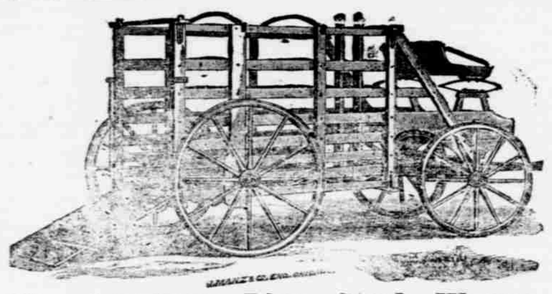

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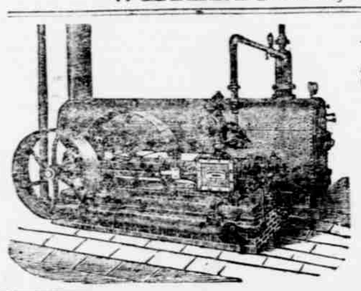

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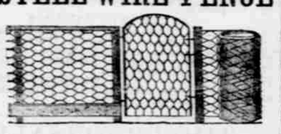

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A Maelstrom in a Lake.

An inland lake with a maelstrom is a curiosity not generally supposed to exist; yet there is such a phenomenon in Florida. Lake Jackson is a lake six miles north of Tallahssee, It is eighteen miles long in high water and twelve during low water, and here is the point and reason of the maelstrom. The legends of dates differ in time somewhat, but the first great maelstrom is placed in August, 1840. At that time some negroes were fishing not far from the north end. Suddenly a loud noise was heard, and their little boat began to move around in a large circle the center of which deflected in the form of a cone. Soon their craft began to revolve so rapidly that the party got frightened and started for the shore. The negroes had a difficult voyage, as the maelstorm rapidly increased in size and power. They succeeded in time and turned to look at the disturbance. Soon the roar became terific and attracted not only all the slavss on the great Jackson estates surrounding the lake, but the aristocratic white owners as well. It was several days before the waters calmed down, and then it was discovered that the lake had lowered from eighteen miles in length to twelve. Meantime the residents along the Oclockine river, five miles away, were terrified by an enormous tidal wave, as they at first supposed it to be, but which proved to be, the departing waters of Jackson lake. The river during the maelstorm was swollen to more than twice its usual size. After the lake calmed down the inhabitants examined the scene of the maelstrom. A great hole was found to have been excavated in the bottom of the lake in the form of a cave. It had been clogged with logs, fish, alligators and debris of all descriptions, which proved fortunate, as it saved the lake from destruction. During the next seven years the lake gradually filled to its former level; then for seven years it lowered gradually to the level established by the maelstrom. This remarkable alternation has continued regularly since. I visited the lake last winter and spent several weeks hunting and fishing in the vicinity. The lake at that time was at its lowest. I was told by the negroes that the time had arrived for it to begin the first of its seven years' rise. Finally it did begin to come up, and before I fett it had risen two feet, which, over a surface of thirty square miles, must amount to an enormous quantity of water.

Cream for Churning.

There happens just now to be troublesome uncertainty as to the keeping and churning of cream, due to eager desire to make clear what is at present inexplicable, and to the seeming strife among certain dairy writers to be sensational. Hence the term "ripening" of cream and consequent confusion. Cream is "ripe" when ready for churning and making the best quality of butter. This condition is a moderate degree of acidity or sourness, and the practical butter-maker may be sure there is nothing more than this needed with cream free from all uncleanliness to make the best and most butter. Some time ago these "experts"—at present loudest on "ripening" were equally vociferous in praise of churning sweet cream. But now it is alleged that sweet cream will not yield so much butter by 20 or 25 per cent. as ripened or sour cream.

The latter statement is as wide of the mark as it was to say the sweet cream makes best-flavored butter. Some persons prefer their butter to be insipid—free from that aroma which is its most desirable quality to ordinary consumers. Ripened cream, which makes finely flavored butter, has just entered the first stage of decomposition known as acidity. If this decomposition goes too far the flavor becomes gradually stronger until it ends in rancidity. At this season there is danger of the cream, by too long keeping, becoming too sour or overripe, and consequently making inferior butter. This is to be avoided with every care, but especially by keeping the milk at a temperature below 60 degrees and the cream still cooler when a churning is only made once a week.

A Famous Dish of Long Ago.

Another dish which was noted in the olden time went down at the same period. This was the peacock. It was served in two ways. The bird was skinned, the body roasted, and the skin placed or it again before it was sent to the table, or it was made into a pie with the neck and head and the tail fastened to the crust. In any event a rich gravy was served with it, and it will sound strange to modern cooks to learn that mutton stock was always used. Some of the old receipes order three sheep bruised and made into gravy for one peacock. When served it was carried to the table by the most distinguished lady in the company, and it was her place to carve it. The knights present were accustomed to take fantastic oaths "on the peacock." When Eleanor, the Queen of Edward III., brought in the peacock, the King swore on the bird that he would take Calais and put its citizens to the sword. It was that same Eleanor that begged the lives of the burgesses from her fiery husband.

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There is a time when it is safe to prune most varieties of deciduous fruit trees, and that time is when the wood is ripe and while the tree is in a dormant condition.

When the weather will permit look over the fencing and see that all is in good repair. Dispense with all that is unnecessary, but have what is actually needed in as good repair as possible. A poor fence is really worse than none.

Prepare the soil and plant the orchard at the very first opportunity in the spring. They will stand cold and drouth better than they will the drouth and the heat in August and the best plan is to be ready to plant at the first opportunity.

The short cut stubs of cornstalks are often injurious to cattle and horses, especially if given while hungry and when eating rapidly. It is better to cut with some machine that crushes the stalk as it cuts it; but to do this satisfactorily run the machine with some other power than your own right arm.

Feeding Honey Bees.

Natural bee bread is composed of the pollen from various species of flowering plants. This bee bread is the chief food of the young bees while remaining in the cells, where they were hatched from the egg. Good clean rye flour is now largely used as a substitute for the pollen, and this may be scattered near the hives on the stand where the workers can readily find. It must, of course, be protected from rain and moisture. Honey is preferred to other sweets for feeding bees, but when it cannot be obtained pure sugar may be used as a substitute. Take No. A or the best clarified sugar obtainable, and to every three pounds used add one quart of water. When the sugar is dissolved boil and skim to remove all impurities. This syrup may be poured in one of the empty comb and then inserted in the hive at night, or the syrup may be placed in a shallow dish, with a partially floating float of wood laid on the top to enable the bees to get at it without having in or getting their wings smeared. There are many styles of bee-feeders in use, but almost any simple device may be employed that will insure the safety of the bees while feeding.

The Art of Boiling.

Boiling is a very general mode of cooking meats, and in this way it may be made very palatable if properly done. Inattention to the temperature of the water and too early application of salt cause great waste in boiling as well as injuring the flavor of the meat. To have a joint nutritious and acceptable to the appetite, it should be placed in a kettle of boiling water, skimmed well as soon as it begins to boil, and then where it will boil slowly but constantly until done. There should always be sufficient water to entirely cover the meat, which should be occasionally turned and closely covered. Salt should not be added until the meat is nearly done, as it extracts the juice, and renders the flesh hard and tasteless. Fifteen minutes should be allowed to every pound as the time for boiling fresh meats. The latter should be put on in cold water to boil. Meats should never be turned or taken up with a fork as by thus piercing them, much of the juice and flavor is lost. A pod of red pepper put in the water will prevent the unpleasant odor of boiling from filling the house. Celery, caper, mushroom and variety of other sauces should be served with boiled meat.

The Kiwi.

The Kiwi is the sole remnant of a wonderful race of wingless birds that once roamed all over New Zealand. The gigantic skeletons of some of which have been found in such numbers that almost every museum in the world possess one or more of them. The kiwi is about the size of a patridge, has a rather long neck and a curious bill about four inches in length. Its wings are quite undeveloped and its feathers have a sort of anahished character which may be supposed to represent nature's early efforts in that direction before the close, rich plumage of the modern bird was "evolved." With the means of fight, the kiwi has been only too rapidly exterminated, and with other feathered denizens of the wood. The invasion of their haunts by the white man is not the sole cause of this. Equally potent, perhaps more so, has been the introduction of English birds. The linnet, the sparrow, the chaffinch and the thrush have driven away the more timid and delicate native birds. This is the case more or less throughout New Zealand where the white population have found its way.

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